# **AGREEMENT**

# **BETWEEN:**

Garda Security Screening Inc.
Red Deer Regional Airport
(Herein referred to as the "Employer")

# AND:

GENERAL TEAMSTERS, LOCAL UNION NO. 362 (hereinafter referred to as the "Union")

Effective April 14, 2022 up to and Including March 31, 2025

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## **ARTICLE NO. 1 - BARGAINING AGENCY and DEFINITION**

- a) The Employer recognizes General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362 as the exclusive representative for the purpose of collective bargaining, and grievances arising from the Agreement, of all employees of Garda Security Screening Inc., located at the Red Deer Regional Airport engaged in the security screening of passengers and baggage, excluding Supervisors and those above the rank of Supervisor.
- b) This Agreement shall cover all employees, as defined in (a) above, employed by the Employer at the Red Deer Regional Airport.
- c) The Employer recognizes General Teamsters Local Union No. 362 as the exclusive representative for the purpose of collective bargaining for all employees in the classification of Screening Officers.
- d) The term "employee" as used in this Agreement, shall apply to any person performing work in any job that is covered by the Certificate and this Agreement. There shall only be two (2) categories under this Agreement, namely Screening Officers and Team Leaders. Should any other category become necessary within the bargaining unit, and there is no classification or wage rate contained in this Agreement for the job category, then the Union and the Employer shall immediately negotiate a classification and wage rate for that category. Should the Parties fail to agree, the matter shall be referred to a neutral Arbitrator as provided for in this Agreement.
- e) All work within the bargaining unit shall be performed only by those persons coming within the bargaining unit who are members of the Union, as prescribed herein, or who are eligible to become members under Article No. 3 herein, except in the case of training, to maintain required certifications, or in the event of unforeseen circumstances beyond the control of the Employer, providing it does not deprive bargaining unit members work.

No work which the employees perform, or can perform, shall be sub-contracted out in any manner.

#### f) Definitions

- 1. A Team Leader, including Assistant Team Leaders (ATLs), Training Specialists, Hold Baggage Screening Specialists, is a full-time or part-time employee as described below. A Team Leader's primary duty is to direct the work force and does not have the right to hire, fire or discipline. Employees in the Team Leader classification will bid a regular shift schedule and, when not performing the work of a Team Leader, will work as a Level 3 Pre-Board Screening Officer.
- 2. A Full-time employee is an employee who holds a position on a continuous basis, in accordance with Article 17.
- 3. A 'Permanent Part-time Employee' is an employee who holds a position on a continuous basis, in accordance with Article No. 18(a).
- 4. 'Start Date' shall be the first day on payroll with the employer and 'Seniority Date' shall be the first day on payroll at the Red Deer Regional Airport.
- g) In all areas where the language in this Agreement refers to the male gender, such language shall also mean the female gender, and no discrimination between the sexes is intended or implied.

# **ARTICLE NO. 2 - DURATION OF AGREEMENT**

- a) This Agreement shall be in full force and effect from and including date of ratification up to and including March 31, 2025 and shall continue in full force and effect from year to year thereafter, subject to the right of either Party to this Agreement, within four (4) months immediately preceding the expiration date, or immediately preceding the anniversary date in any year thereafter, by written notice to the other Party, require the other Party to commence collective bargaining with a view to the conclusion of a renewal or revision of the Collective Agreement, or a new Collective Agreement.
- b) Should either Party give written notice to the other Party pursuant hereto, this Agreement shall thereafter continue in full force and effect until the Union shall give notice of Strike, and such Strike has been implemented, or the Employer shall give notice of Lockout, and such Lockout has been implemented, or the Parties shall conclude a renewal or revision of the Agreement, or a new Collective Agreement.
- c) The expiration date of the Agreement shall be deemed to be the day immediately preceding the implementation of a Strike by the Union, or the implementation of a Lockout by the Employer.

## **ARTICLE NO. 3 - UNION SECURITY**

- a) The Union recognizes the right of the Employer to hire whomever they choose, subject to the seniority provisions contained herein. The Employer shall, however, give the Union an opportunity to refer suitable applicants for employment.
- b) The Union will supply the Employer with application forms for Union Membership and Dues Deduction. When new employees are hired, the Employer will have such new employees complete the required Union Application for Membership cards during their initial indoctrination process and forward same without delay to the Union Office.
- c) It is agreed that as a condition of employment, each employee must become, and remain, a member in good standing of the Union.

For the purpose of this Agreement, the sole definition of Membership in good standing means that they must pay in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, the regularly prescribed initiation fee, regular monthly Union Dues, periodic assessments uniformly required of all Members in the Bargaining Unit, and/or other accessorial charges, as levied against them by the Union, and so indicated on the monthly Check-off List as provided by the Union to the Company.

### **ARTICLE NO. 4 - DEDUCTION of UNION DUES**

- a) The Employer shall, no later than the twentieth (20th) day of each month, remit to the Union a list containing the names of all employees who have left their employ since the previous check-off was remitted, in addition to the names of all new employees hired during the preceding check-off month. The Union shall then immediately send the Employer a current check-off list based on the information supplied by the Employer.
- Within fifteen (15) days of an employee commencing employment, they shall have an amount equivalent to the monthly dues of the Union deducted from their wages, and that amount, along with the employee's name, will be added to the current Union check-off, which is to be emailed to the Union. The Employer will commence deductions of the Initiation Fee from the employee in the first calendar month following the calendar month in which the employee was employed. The deduction of the Initiation Fee will be in increments of fifty dollars (\$50.00) per month until the Local Union Initiation is fully paid.
- c) All employees referred to above, will be required to sign an authorization form for the deduction and remittance of Initiation Fees, Union Dues, and fines and/or assessments, which may be levied by the Union in accordance with the Union's Constitution and/or By-Laws.

- On the first pay period of each month the Employer shall deduct and pay over to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Local Union, such Initiation Fees, Union Dues, fines and/or assessments levied in accordance with the Union's By-Laws, owing by the said employees hereunder to the said Union. Should the employee have no earnings during the first pay period of the month, the Employer will deduct as indicated on the next available pay period to reconcile the Local Union Checkoff. Monies deducted during any month shall be forwarded by the Employer to the Secretary-Treasurer of the Local Union, not later than the twentieth (20th) day of the month following the month to which such monies apply by Electric Funds Transfer (EFT). The EFT, will be accompanied by an emailed statement which will include the names of the employees for whom the deductions were made, and the amount of each deduction. The Employer is entitled to rely absolutely upon a certificate of the Secretary-Treasurer of the Local Union that such fees, dues, fines and or assessments were levied in accordance with the Local Union's By-Laws. The Company will remit the amount indicated as per the Local Union Checkoff plus all dues collected for newly hired employees as per Article No. 4 b).
- e) The Union shall forward all authorization forms to the Employer. It shall be the responsibility of the Employer to take proper and due care of all authorization forms sent to the Employer by the Union.
- f) At the beginning of each year, the Employer shall provide a schedule to all employees detailing the pay periods in which Union dues shall be deducted.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 5 - MANAGEMENT RIGHTS**

- a) Unless expressly limited or addressed by this agreement, the Employer retains the right to manage all aspect of the operation including but not limited to, direct the working force, the operations, hire, promote, demote, discipline and terminate employees for just cause and consistent with the current Collective Agreement.
- b) The Union recognizes the exclusive right of the Employer to manage and direct the Employer's business in all respects in accordance with its commitments, and to alter from time to time, rules and regulations to be observed by employees, which rules and regulations shall not be inconsistent with this Agreement. A copy of all rules and regulations shall be given to the Union and to the employees. The employee shall sign a confirmation that a copy of the Employer's rules and regulations was received, and that their meaning is understood.

All Employer rules and procedures are to be detailed in writing.

# ARTICLE NO. 6 - UNION ACTIVITIES of EMPLOYEES and LEAVES of ABSENCE

- a) The Employer shall allow time off work, without pay, to any employee who is serving as a Union delegate to any conference or function, provided all requests for time off are reasonable and do not interfere with the proper operation of the business. No employee who acts within the scope of this clause shall lose their job or be discriminated against for so acting.
- b) During an authorized, unpaid Leave of Absence, an employee shall maintain and accrue seniority.
- c) When the requirements of the Employer's service will permit, any employee hereunder upon written application to the Employer with a copy to the Union, may if approved by the Employer be granted an unpaid Leave of Absence in writing with a copy to the Union, for a period of up to thirty (30) calendar days. Under such unpaid Leave, the employee shall retain and accrue seniority only. Such requests for Leave of Absence shall not be unreasonably denied.

- d) Such Leave may be extended for an additional period of up to thirty (30) calendar days, without pay, when approved by both the Employer and the Union, in writing, and seniority shall accrue during such extension. Such request for extension must be made in writing at least seven (7) calendar days prior to the expiration of the original leave.
- e) Any employee hereunder on an unpaid Leave of Absence engaged in gainful employment without prior written permission from both the Employer and the Union shall forfeit their seniority rights and their name will be stricken from the Seniority List, and they shall no longer be considered an employee of the Employer.
- f) An employee requesting an unpaid Compassionate Leave will be given special consideration, and may be required to substantiate the reason for such Leave, prior to returning to work. Any violation of this provision will be subject to disciplinary action.
- An employee who goes to work for the Local Union which represents the employee in their bargaining unit, may apply for an unpaid Leave of Absence from the employer for a period not to exceed one (1) calendar year. Such Leave will not be unduly withheld, and when granted, the Employer will do so in writing, with a copy to the Union. The employee will continue to accrue seniority during such Leave. At the expiration of the one (1) calendar year, the employee must return to their former position or relinquish all seniority rights with the Employer.
- h) Employees must file a request for Leave of Absence, at least fourteen (14) calendar days in advance, and the Employer must reply to the said Leave of Absence within seven (7) calendar days of the request.

The Employee must provide Email or written notice of their return-to-work date to the Employer ten (10) days prior to their leave ending. The employer must reply to said notification within five (5) days to the Employee. Should the Employee have to extend their Leave of Absence, the employee must provide notification to the Employer five (5) days prior to the leave ending.

- i) When an employee suffers an injury or illness which requires their absence, they shall report the fact to the Employer as soon as possible, prior to their actual starting time, so that adequate replacement may be made if necessary. The reporting of such injury or illness should be made prior to starting times a minimum of one (1) hour for all shifts that commence earlier than 08:00 and a minimum of three (3) hours for all other shifts.
- j) Employees must keep the Employer notified of their correct address and phone number at all times.
- k) Bereavement Leave In the case of death in the immediate family, (mother, father, spouse, common-law spouse, children, sister, brother, mother-in-law, father-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, step children, step parents, grandchildren, grandparents and any relative of the employee who resides permanently with the employee or with whom the employee permanently resides)) upon notification to the Employer, the affected employee shall be granted four (4) days Leave of Absence with pay. The employer shall grant an additional leave of absence of seven (7) consecutive days without pay to attend the funeral, if the funeral occurs outside a seven hundred kilometer (700 kms) radius of the employee's normal work location. Proof of death may be required, if requested by management. The Employer will not require any person already on bereavement leave to report for work during the bereavement period. If an employee is notified of a death in their immediate family while working, they shall be relieved from duty and paid for the balance of their shift.

In the event of the death of a family member not covered above, the affected employee shall be

granted up to four (4) consecutive days Leave of Absence without pay.

- Jury Duty All time lost by an employee on their regular work day due to necessary attendance on any court proceedings where subpoenaed as a witness or juror, shall be paid for at the rate of pay applicable to said employee. Once an employee is released from witness duty, they shall be returned to the job classification and pay rate they were on, prior to such duty. All witness payments received by the employee from courts or otherwise shall be reimbursed to the Employer, by endorsement of witness fees to the Employer. The employee must be returned to their regular assignment that they were on prior to being summoned or subpoenaed, either during a break in the court proceeding, or on the completion thereof. No employee's work or shift shall be changed to avoid payment as set out above. In the event an employee is subpoenaed to attend court on their day off, on Employer related business only, the Employer will reschedule that employee's shift.
- m) Maternity & Parental Leave shall be as defined and outlined in the Canada Labour Code. The employee shall give the Employer four (4) weeks' notice, in writing, of the day upon which she intends to commence the Leave, and the expected date of return, and a certificate of a qualified medical practitioner stating that she is pregnant. Where an employee intends to resume her employment with the Employer upon expiration of the Leave, the employee shall notify the Employer not less than four (4) weeks prior to their return. The Employer shall reinstate the employee to their former position at not less than the same wages and benefits.

In the event the employee wishes to extend her Maternity Leave, she shall be granted a Leave of Absence without pay for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days, provided that the employee provides the Employer with the foregoing four (4) weeks written notice of her intention to do so and stating her intended date of return to work.

- n) Paternity Leave an employee whose partner has given birth shall be granted two (2) days of paid Paternity Leave at the time of birth of the child, or on the date when the child is brought home. Upon request, an employee will be granted an additional three (3) days Leave without pay to be taken in conjunction with the foregoing.
- o) **Marriage Leave** The Employer shall grant, upon written request, up to five (5) consecutive unpaid days off for an employee to attend their own wedding.
- p) Special Medical Leave where an employee is required to absent themself from work in order to attend an appointment with a medical specialist, the Employer shall grant such unpaid time off, providing the employee has requested such time off at least seven (7) calendar days in advance of the appointment. Special consideration will be given in the event of short notice of appointments due to openings with the medical specialist due to cancellation, and without undo inconvenience to normal operations.

## **ARTICLE NO. 7 - SHOP STEWARDS**

- a) The Union shall appoint or elect Shop Stewards from Employees who have completed their probationary period and shall notify the Employer in writing of the appointment or election. The Employer shall only recognize such Shop Stewards when notified in writing by the Union, and shall not discriminate against them for lawful Union activity.
- b) The Union shall supply to Management on or about each January 1, a list of the employees acting as Shop Stewards. Such list will indicate the name of the employee.

- c) Shop Stewards will suffer no loss of regular pay when processing grievances under Steps 1 and 2 of the Grievance Procedure.
- d) The Employer will notify the Union prior to the discipline or dismissal of any Shop Steward.
- e) One Shop Steward will be allotted one (1) hour of paid time to meet with new members to familiarize and introduce them to the Collective Agreement. This Orientation will occur after the company's Orientation Class and Testing has been completed.

### **ARTICLE NO. 8 - UNIFORMS and MISCELLANEOUS**

- a) All uniforms, when supplied by the Employer, shall be without cost to the employee.
- b) Uniforms will be as described as in the CATSA SOP. For Winter Bridge and Ramp duties, Screening Officers will be allowed up to twenty (20) minutes to obtain their own winter wear prior to reporting for duty. Employees will be permitted to wear their own clothing. In cases of extreme weather conditions where it is necessary for an employee to wear articles of personal clothing for warmth, the outer-most visible layer must be the CATSA provided uniform.
- c) Upon termination of employment, the employee is required to return all pieces of the uniform which bear an external logo. The cost of uniform items not returned will be subject to Article 25 (a).
- d) Employees shall be issued with uniforms having a reasonable fit. An employee who at any time feels that their uniform is not of a reasonable fit, shall bring this to the attention of Management, who will coordinate with the Uniform supplier for all required alterations.

### **ARTICLE NO. 9 - CONFLICTING AGREEMENT**

- a) The Employer agrees not to enter into any agreement or contract with the employees covered by this Agreement, individually or collectively, which in any way conflicts with the terms and provisions of this Agreement or any statute of Canada. Any such agreement will be null and void.
- b) The Employer party to this Agreement shall not use another limited company or device to avoid the conditions of this Agreement. All time worked by any person who, at any time works for the Employer, Party hereto, shall be paid on the basis of the conditions set out in this Agreement regardless of who the Employer hereto states employed such person for a portion of the total hours worked by such person. The Employer agrees that they accept the sole responsibility for all time worked by persons on their payroll and will not use a subsidiary or allied company to circumvent the terms of this Agreement.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 10 - TRANSFER of TITLE or INTEREST**

- a) This Agreement shall be binding upon the Parties hereto, their successors, administrators, executors and assigns. In the event that the entire operation is sold, leased, transferred or taken over by sale, transfer, lease, assignment, receivership or bankruptcy proceeding, such operation shall continue to be subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement for the life thereof.
- b) It is understood by this Section that the Parties hereto shall not use any leasing device to a third party to evade this Collective Agreement. The Employer shall give notice of the existence of this Agreement to any purchaser, transferee, lessee, assignee, etc, of the operation covered by this

Agreement or any part thereof. Such notice shall be in writing, with copy to the Union, not later than the effective date of sale.

# **ARTICLE NO. 11 - GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE**

a) All questions, disputes and controversies arising under this Agreement or any supplement hereto shall be adjusted and settled within the terms and conditions as set forth in this Agreement in the manner provided by this Article, unless otherwise expressly provided in this Agreement. The procedure for such adjustment and settlement shall be as follows:

STEP 1: Any grievance of an employee shall first be taken up between such employee and a Check Point Manager (CPM). The grievance form will then be submitted in person to a manager or via email. However, such employee will be entitled to be accompanied by a Shop Steward of their choice or a Union Representative.

Time limit to institute grievance:

Termination or layoff

- ten (10) working days;

All others

- fifteen (15) working days

STEP 2: Failing settlement under Step 1, the grieving party shall reduce their grievance to writing stating the Article(s) alleged to have been violated such grievance shall be taken up between the Employer's General Manager or designate and a Shop Steward or Local Union Representative. Except by mutual agreement between the Union and the Employer providing for an extension of time, Step 2 must be completed with ten (10) days (exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays) from the completion of Step 1.

STEP 3: Failing settlement under Step 2, such grievance and any question, dispute or controversy that is not of a kind that is subject to Steps 1 and 2, will be referred to and taken up between two (2) Union representatives selected by the Union and two (2) Employer representatives appointed by an Officer of the Employer. Such written notice and meeting must take place within ten (10) days (exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays) from the completion of Step 2. Except by mutual agreement between the Union and the Employer providing for an extension of time, Step 3 must be completed within ten (10) days (exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays) from the completion of Step 2.

STEP 4: Failing settlement under the above Steps and within fifteen (15) calendar days, the matter will be referred to an agreed upon neutral person to act as an Arbitrator who will meet with the parties to hear both sides of the case. Failing to agree upon a neutral person, the Minister of Labour will be requested to appoint a neutral Arbitrator.

The Arbitrator shall be requested to hand down their decision within thirty (30) calendar days following completion of the hearing and their decision shall be final and binding on the two parties to the dispute.

The cost of the Arbitrator will be borne equally by the Union and the Employer. Except by mutual agreement between the Union and the Employer, where either party requests an adjournment, the party requesting the adjournment shall incur the full cost of the arbitration; such agreement will not be unreasonably denied.

The Company and the Local Union may mutually agree to use the FMCS mediation/arbitration option prior to proceeding to arbitration.

b) Grievances under this Article may be initiated by any employee, a group of employees or by the Union.

# **ARTICLE NO. 12 - DISCIPLINE**

- a) Where an employee is suspended by the Employer pending investigation, the suspension will be with pay until such time as the Employer makes a decision as to the appropriate discipline.
- When an employee is required to attend a meeting, the purpose of which is to conduct a disciplinary hearing, investigate a documented performance event, or render a disciplinary decision, the employee is entitled to have, at their request, their choice of an available representative of the Union in attendance. The employee and the Union representative will be advised prior to the meeting as to the nature of the matter giving rise to the meeting and the employee will be given the opportunity to provide a full explanation as part of the investigation hearing.
- c) An employee will receive a copy of any disciplinary record placed on their file, including reprimands, with a copy to the Union. The incident causing such disciplinary action will not be taken in account to compound other disciplinary actions taken against the employee if there has not been a similar incident in the previous twelve (12) months. For the purpose of this Article, "similar" will be defined in two (2) categories: Attendance related and Work Performance related.

# **ARTICLE NO. 13 - PAYDAY and PAY STATEMENTS**

- a) All employees covered by this Agreement shall be paid on a definite bi-weekly basis, and dates will not be altered without consent of the Union.
- b) The Employer shall provide every employee covered by this Agreement with an itemized statement in respect of all wage payments made to such employee. Such statement shall set forth the total hours worked, the total overtime hours worked, either time and one-half (1½x) or double (2x) time, the rate of wages applicable, and all deductions made from the gross amount of wages.
- c) Payment of wages will be made by direct deposit to the employee's bank account.
  - Any error in payroll by the Employer, of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) or more, shall be paid to the employee within five business days, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays, and statutory holidays, of the error being brought to the attention of the Site Management Team. All pay adjustments will be explained in full. Grievances resulting from pay discrepancies that are not resolved within the five (5) business days as prescribed above, will be initiated at the Step 3 level.
- d) Should an employee be overpaid, the employee shall have the option to pay back the overpayment or the employee and the Employer will mutually agree on a reimbursement plan.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 14 - ANNUAL VACATION**

- a) Vacation will be granted on the basis of calendar years of service with the Employer. A calendar year will be from January 1 to December 31 of each year.
- b) Employees commencing employment with the Employer between the dates of January 1st and June 30th, will have January 1st, in the year in which employment commenced, as their anniversary date for accumulating calendar years of service for vacation entitlement purposes only.

- c) Employees commencing employment with the Employer between the dates of July 1st and December 31st will have January 1, in the year following commencement of employment, for their anniversary date for accumulating calendar years of service for vacation entitlement purposes only.
- d) In the first year of employment, employees will be credited with one (1) day of vacation for each month of employment, to a maximum of two (2) weeks during that calendar year. Such vacation is to be taken within the period of January 1st through to December 31st of the next year. Vacation will be four percent (4%) of the gross wages paid that employee in the portion of the year worked.
- e) Employees who have previously completed or subsequently complete one (1) calendar year as an employee shall receive two (2) weeks' vacation at four percent (4%) of their annual gross earnings for the calendar year for which they are receiving their vacation.
- f) Employees who have previously completed or subsequently completed four (4) years continuous service and thereafter, as an employee shall receive three (3) weeks' vacation at six percent (6%) of their annual gross earnings for the calendar year for which they are receiving said vacation.
- g) Employees who have previously completed or subsequently completed eight (8) years continuous service and thereafter, as an employee shall receive four (4) weeks' vacation at eight percent (8%) of their annual gross earnings for the calendar year for which they are receiving said vacation.
- h) Employees who have previously completed or subsequently completed twelve (12) years continuous service and thereafter, as an employee shall receive five (5) weeks' vacation at ten percent (10%) of their annual gross earnings for the calendar year for which they are receiving said vacation.
- i) Employees will not be called out to work during their schedule week(s) of vacation. The vacation week shall be considered seven (7) consecutive days according to the employees work schedule.
- j) Should a General Holiday occur while an employee is on vacation, the employee will have the option to receive another day off as per Article No. 15 b), in lieu of said General Holiday.
  - The scheduling of said day off in lieu will be applied to the beginning or end of their vacation period subject to Article 14 (j) and should the hours of work be more than eight (8) hours, the affected employee will receive the extra hours pay at their applicable hourly rate.
- k) Vacation will be granted in order of seniority provided the employee advises the employer with thirty (30) days written notice of their intention to take vacation.
- I) The following classifications will be recognized as separate groups for determining allocation of vacation:
  - 1. Full-time
  - 2. Permanent Part-time

The maximum number of employees on vacation at any given time will be determined as follows:

- The total number of weeks' vacation liability divided by fifty-two (52) weeks, plus a ten percent (10%) variance to the next nearest whole number.
- The additional variance weeks will be distributed on a mutually agreed basis

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- m) Annual vacation will be taken within the period of January 1st to December 31st of each year.
- n) Employees, at their option, shall have the right to split their vacation into separate periods consisting of a minimum of one (1) week at a time. The Employer will do its utmost to co-operate with any employee's vacation requirements in extenuating circumstances.
- o) In the event that an employee leaves the employ of the Employer before they are entitled to two (2) week's vacation, they shall receive four percent (4%) of the gross earnings they received while in the employ of the Employer.
- p) In the event of an employee leaving the employ of the Employer after they have had their vacation they earned for the previous year, they shall receive four percent (4%), six percent (6%), eight percent (8%), or ten percent (10%), as the case may be, of their pay for the year in which they end their employment for which no vacation has been paid.
- q) The Employer will divide each employee's vacation accrual equally among the total weeks of vacation, including any weeks carried over from the previous calendar year as per Article No. 14 p) and will pay vacation pay through payroll deposit on the regular payday as if the employee had worked. Or the employee may request vacation pay be paid on the regular payday immediately preceding the commencement of the vacation, within two (2) weeks written notice written notice to the employer prior to such payday.
- r) The Employer shall furnish the employee with a statement showing the period for which the employee is receiving their vacation pay, how the vacation pay was calculated, and shall include all overtime payments, commissions or anything of a monetary value on which the employee has to pay income tax.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 15 - GENERAL HOLIDAYS**

a) The following and all additional days as may be declared by the Federal and/or Provincial Governments shall be recognized as General Holidays:

New Years' Day Canada Day	Good Friday Labour Day	Victoria Day Thanksgiving Day
Remembrance Day	Christmas Day	Family Day
Civic Day	Boxing Day	Truth and Reconciliation

- b) Each full-time employee shall be paid eight (8) hours pay for each such Holiday, following the first thirty (30) days of employment, which is calculated from the first day of training.
- c) Following the first thirty (30) days of employment, part-time employees are entitled to an extra days pay for General Holidays if they have worked on at least fifteen (15) of the thirty (30) days immediately before that specific General Holiday.
- d) In addition to b) and c) above, employees working on a General Holiday, following the first thirty (30) days of employment, shall be paid as follows;
  - 1. For their scheduled shift time time and one half (1 ½ x) their regular rate.
  - 2. All hours in excess of their scheduled shift double (2x) their regular rate.
- e) In the event that a work shift overlaps the beginning or the end of a General Holiday, the criteria shall be that all hours actually worked on the General Holiday, between 12:01 and 12:00 midnight, shall be considered as worked on a General Holiday for each individual employee.

f) A full-time employee required to work on a General Holiday which otherwise would have been that employee's day off, or who for any other reason would have been receiving overtime rates for that day, shall in addition to b) and d) be paid an additional straight time rate for each hour worked on the General Holiday.

# **ARTICLE NO. 16 - SENIORITY and PROMOTIONS**

- a) Strict seniority shall prevail at all times, subject to the particular employee(s) being capable and having the appropriate CATSA Certification for any work which is to be done. Seniority shall be based from the first day on payroll at the Red Deer Regional Airport.
- b) Should two (2) or more persons have the same start date, the seniority ranking for that group of employees shall be by random draw.
- Any employee promoted to any position outside the bargaining unit, and at a later date proves to be unsatisfactory for any such position, or there is a reduction in staff of the department, or if the employee wishes not to accept such position, may be reinstated to their former position without loss of seniority, or accrued seniority, provided this occurs within one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days of the promotion and providing they continue paying dues. Any persons who use this clause to return to the bargaining unit, for whatever reason, will be restricted from bidding positions outside the unit for a period of one hundred and eighty (180) calendar days.
- d) The Employer shall provide the Union with a separate seniority list for full-time, part-time and casual employees, giving the names of employees and dates they commenced employment, immediately after the signing of this agreement and each four (4) months after that, and shall also post a copy of the seniority list at the site. The Employer shall add any new employees and delete those whose employment is terminated.
- e) Any employee wishing to protest seniority must do so within thirty (30) calendar days of the posting of the seniority lists in which their name first appears.
- f) Part-time seniority shall not be credited towards full-time seniority.
- g) Probation: Due to the nature of the Employers' business, new employees will be required to serve a probationary period during which time the Employer will have the right to determine the suitability of the employee for continued employment. The employee will be required to successfully complete Screening Officer training and obtain Level 3 CATSA Certification following which the Probationary Period will continue for up to sixty (60) calendar days. The Probationary Period will be extended by an equivalent number of calendar days of any absence by the employee.
- h) When Team Leader positions become available, the Employer will post the vacancies and accept applications from Screening Officers who have attained Level 3 CATSA certification and have completed three (3) years of service (Level 3.4). If there are no Level 3.4 Screening Officers interested in the positions, the Employer may accept applications and award the positions to Level 3.3 Screening Officers, then Level 3.2 Screening Officers and lastly Level 3.1 Screening Officers. New Team Leaders will serve a ninety (90) day probationary period in their new position. In the event that the employee is absent for thirty (30) calendar days or more, the probationary period will be extended by the equivalent number of days of the absence. During this period, if they prove to be unsatisfactory for the position or if the employee wishes not to accept such

position, they shall be returned to their previous classification. Upon successful completion of the probationary period, it is understood and agreed that TLs will remain in such position for a minimum of a one (1) year term.

i) When there are shift vacancies available, if such vacancies are permanent and occur at least (30) days prior to a full shift bid, a notice of such vacancies will be posted as far in advance as possible but under no circumstances less than seven (7) days. The deadline date for acceptance of applications will be no less than seven (7) days after the posting. Seniority shall prevail. The same practice will apply with regards to filling training vacancies when training classes are scheduled.

Note: Shift vacancies that occur because of employees exercising their rights under this clause will only be back-filled twice.

j) When there are vacancies for Training Specialist (TS) the Employer will post the vacancies and accept applications from Team Leader qualified Screening Officers. Such postings will include a description of responsibilities as well as skills and abilities required for the positions. New Training Specialist Leaders will serve a ninety (90) day probationary period in their new position. During this time, if they prove to be unsatisfactory for the position or if the employee wishes not to accept such position, they shall be returned to their previous classification.

#### ARTICLE NO. 17 - HOURS OF WORK

- a) The calendar week shall be from 12:01 a.m. Sunday to midnight the following Saturday.
- b) Work schedules will be developed to meet operational requirements based on the airline flight schedules at the Red Deer Regional Airport.
- c) Full-time employees will be scheduled to work an average of seventy (70) hours in a two (2) week period, not to exceed eighty (80) hours per two (2) week period. Shifts will normally comprise durations of eight (8), ten (10), or twelve (12) hours.

A maximum of one (1) split shift may be scheduled per day. As long as split shifts exist at the work site, each employee who reports for both ends of the split shift shall receive an additional one (1) hour's pay per day, at the applicable wage rate. The split shift premium does not count as hours worked.

- d) Any employee who reports to work on a normal work day, on the call of the Employer, and who does not commence their shift, shall be paid four (4) hours pay at the applicable rate of pay.
- e) All employees may be required to work overtime on their regular scheduled days off, all of which shall be voluntary and awarded in order of seniority. No employee will be allowed to sign up for or work overtime shifts while on vacation.
- f) When an employee is called to work on one of their regular days off, they shall receive a minimum of four (4) hours pay at the applicable overtime rate of pay. For all full-time employees, all time worked on the first day worked during days off shall be at time and one-half (1 ½x) rates of pay, and all time worked on a subsequent second or third consecutive day off, shall be at double time (2x) rates of pay. This is based on completing a regular work week. Preference will be given to CATSA Level 3 Certified Officers working at one and one half (1 ½x) overtime rates, then to CATSA Level 3 Certified Officers working at double (2x) overtime rates on their second and third consecutive days off. The same process will be followed for CATSA Level 2 and Level 1 Certified Officers.

A regular work week totals eighty (80) hours for a Full-time employee and forty (40) hours for a Part-time employee in any bi-weekly pay cycle as a qualifying requirement for overtime rates for Screening Officers working overtime on their days off.

Officers who have incurred sick book-offs (either paid or unpaid), no call / no shows, lates or early departures, in a work week will not receive overtime pay on any extra shifts until such time as the qualifying weekly hours are met.

Vacation days, including day in lieu for a Statutory Holiday falling during the employee vacation will be counted as regular scheduled days worked.

- g) Any employee called out after their working day has been completed shall be paid a minimum of four (4) hours pay at the applicable overtime rate of pay.
- h) Employees will be given eight (8) hours free from duty on any shift change, and where an employee has their shift changed and they receives less than the eight (8) hours free from duty, they will receive overtime at the overtime rate shown herein for each fifteen (15) minutes unit that they are short of their eight (8) hours.
- i) If an employee volunteers to leave early when working overtime on their day off, they will be paid only for the time worked. The employee must work at least four (4) hours on said shift.
- j) When an employee meets with an accident at work that hampers them from the normal performance of duties, they shall be paid a full days wages for the day of the accident.
- k) The Employer agrees to allow employees to arrange shift trades by mutual agreement between all employees, provided there is no conflict with the hours of work as set out herein. The Management Team has seventy-two (72) hours to authorize or deny the shift trade request(s) and respond to the affected employee(s).
- Overtime beyond the end of an employee's regular shift is considered operational overtime and shall be paid at the applicable overtime rate of pay.
- m) Any employee working three (3) hours of overtime beyond their regular shift will receive a meal credit with a value of fifteen dollars (\$15.00) provided by the Employer.
- n) Breaks Full-time shifts will include two (2) fifteen (15) minute paid coffee breaks and one (1) thirty (30) minute paid meal break. Breaks are to be taken on site at the airport. The parking lot and outdoor picnic tables will be considered on site.

# **ARTICLE NO. 18 - PERMANENT PART-TIME EMPLOYEES**

- a) Permanent part-time employees will be offered, in seniority order, all available part-time work. Permanent part-time employees will be scheduled not more than four (4) workdays per week, except during periods of training.
- b) Based on seniority, Permanent Part-time employees will be offered Full-time positions as they become available.
- c) Permanent part-time employees will have scheduled part-time shifts consisting of a minimum guarantee of not less than four (4) consecutive hours per shift.

### ARTICLE NO. 19 - LAY-OFF AND RECALL

- a) The Employer shall notify the Union of its intention to lay off employees with as much notice as possible prior to any lay-off, and will meet with the Union to discuss possible mitigation of the surplus.
- b) Affected employees will be laid off in reverse order of seniority as defined in Article 16 (b).
- c) The Employer shall notify the Union of its intention to lay off employees with as much notice as possible prior to any lay-off, and will meet with the Union to discuss possible mitigation of the surplus.
- d) Affected employees shall receive at least fourteen (14) calendar days written notice of lay off.
- e) Employee laid-off will remain on the seniority list and eligible for recall for a period of twelve (12) months. If after twelve (12) months the employee has not been recalled, their name will be permanently removed from the seniority list. The employee is responsible to ensure the Employer is kept notified of any change of contact information during lay off.
- f) Recall of employees from lay off shall be in order of seniority.
- g) Recall may be confirmed by personal contact or by Registered Mail to the address last filed by the employee with the employer.
- h) An employee must respond to a Notice of Recall within seven (7) calendar days and must be available to report for work no later than fourteen (14) calendar days following notification.
- i) If an employee fails to respond to a Notice of Recall within seven (7) calendar days, they shall be deemed to have resigned and their name will be permanently removed from the seniority list.
- j) The Employer will copy the Union on all correspondence to employees regarding lay off and recall.

## **ARTICLE NO. 20 - BONDING**

a) If at any time the Employer requires any employee hereunder to be bonded, it is agreed that the Employer shall then request the employee to fill in an application to a recognized bonding firm, selected by the Employer. Where any competent authority requires employees to be bonded, it shall be a condition of employment that the employees qualify for and obtain a bond.

### **ARTICLE NO. 21 - EMPLOYER SEARCHES**

a) The Employer will not require employees represented by General Teamsters Local Union No. 362 to participate in searches of the Employer's equipment, property or premises in the event of a bomb threat. This understanding does not preclude the voluntary participation by the employee in such searches, however the Employer shall inform the employees that a bomb threat has been reported prior to requesting the employees to search or service the Employer's equipment, property, or premises. In the Employer staff room, employees will be required to identify staff property. Property not identified as belonging to the staff may be destroyed by police as the necessity arises.

#### ARTICLE NO. 22 - HEALTH and WELFARE PLAN

a) The Employer shall provide the Prairie Teamsters Health and Welfare, excluding Long Term and Short Term Disability to all Full-time employees, members of the Union, and eligible dependants

coming under the jurisdiction of this Agreement. The Employer shall provide the complete Prairie Teamsters Health and Welfare Plan, including Long Term and Short Term Disability coverage, to all Full-time employees who have attained Level 3 CATSA Certification and have completed three (3) calendar years of service.

- b) Any Full-time or Permanent Part-time employee, member of the Union, who is hired by the Employer after the effective date of the Health and Welfare Plan, shall join the Plan on the first day of the month immediately following ninety (90) calendar days from the date of employment with the Employer.
- c) It will be the responsibility of the Employer to ensure that all employees are enrolled in the Health and Welfare Plan and to make premium remittances on their behalf. Failure of the Employer to enroll employees, forward completed forms and/or remit premiums to the Trustees, by no later than the twentieth (20th) day of each month, will cause the Employer to be liable for the claim arising thereof.
- d) It shall be the Union's responsibility to supply all necessary enrolment forms to the Employer.
- e) The Employer shall remit the premiums to the Administrator as designated by the Trustees of the Health and Welfare Plan by EFT with the proper supporting documentation no later than the twentieth (20th) of each month for the current months billing. It shall be the Trustees' responsibility, after receipt of the premiums, to distribute same to the applicable insurance underwriters.
- f) The cost of the Health and Welfare Plan will be paid for by the Employer, for full-time employees as follows:

The cost of the Plan, excluding Short Term and Long Term Disability coverage, will be three hundred and thirty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$332.38) per employee, per month of which two hundred and sixty-seven dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$267.38) will be paid by the Employer.

The cost of the complete plan shall be three hundred and ninety dollars (\$390.00) per employee, per month of which three hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$325.00) will be paid by the Employer. The plan will be offered at a reduced rate of three hundred and sixty-one dollars and ten cents (\$361.10) for employees over the age of sixty-four (64) with no long-term disability coverage.

The Company agrees to assume the added cost for E.A.P. coverage to the plan in the amount of five dollars and seventy-five cents (\$5.75) per person.

At the time of ratification, the Employee portion of the health and welfare plan shall be sixty-five dollars (\$65.00) per month.

g) Permanent Part time employees who have less than three (3) calendar years of service will have benefit coverage, excluding Short Term and Long Term Disability coverage. The cost of the plan will be three hundred and thirty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$332.38) per employee, per month, of which two hundred and sixty-seven dollars and thirty-eight cents (\$267.38) will be paid by the Employer.

Permanent Part time employees who have completed three (3) calendar years of service and full time employees who have completed three (3) calendar years of service and choose to move to part time status after the date of ratification will be entitled to Short-term disability coverage and placed on the same payment schedule as the age over sixty-four (64) plan outlined within this

Article.

- h) The Employer will be responsible for a maximum five dollars (\$5.00) increase per employee, per month, per year, every January 1<sup>st</sup> for the term of this Agreement. Further increases above the five dollars (\$5.00) will be borne by the employee. Any remittances due from the employee will be deducted equally from each pay period for the current calendar months premium.
- The Employer will continue to cover employees who are off ill, or on Compensation, for a maximum of three (3) months from date of illness or injury. After three (3) months, the Employer shall continue to pay their Health and Welfare premiums so that the employee shall be protected to the utmost, provided:
  - The employee reimburses the Employer for their portion and is at no time more than three (3) months in arrears
  - When the employee returns to work, the Employer shall deduct from their earnings any
    monies the Employer has paid out in respect to their contributions.
- j) The Employer will pay for all Doctors notes related to WCB or functional capacity, and when directed to the Employer's Doctor. The Employer will not pay for the initial medical exam required by Transport Canada or for Doctor's notes related to absenteeism. Doctor's notes will only be requested for absences consisting of three (3) consecutive days or longer. Such requests for Doctors notes will not be made unreasonably. Reimbursement of Doctor's notes will be made within twenty-one (21) days of submission to the Employer.

K) On January 1 each year, fulltime employees who have three (3) months of continual employment will have fifty-six (56) hours deposited into their personal/sick bank. If a member accrues more than the fifty-six (56) hours, the hours deposited on January 1 of the following year will then be equal to the previous year's accrual. The payout amount will be the balance of the sick/personal bank on December 31. It is understood that the accrual rate for any extra sick hours above the listed allotment is at 3.07%. Any unused personal/sick (hours) will be paid out on a separate cheque on the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) pay period in January.

On January 1 of each year, part-time employees who have three (3) months of continual employment will be entitled to twenty-four (24) hours.

## **ARTICLE NO. 23 - PENSION PLAN**

- a) Effective date of ratification, the employer will pay one dollar (\$1.00) per hour for every hour worked for all employees who have attained CATSA level 3 certification to the employee directly. The contribution will be paid under the earning code RRSP (taxable) as these amounts are being paid to the employee under the pension clause. This contribution will be a taxable earning and will remain the same for the duration of this agreement.
- b) Contributions and remittances referred to above shall be remitted monthly, by the twentieth (20th) day of the month following the month to which they refer, together with a form supplied to the Employer by the Union, which will provide full instructions.
- c) Timely payment of contributions to the Trust Fund provided for in this Agreement is essential for

the protection of the beneficiaries. Delinquency and continued failure to remit contributions to the Trust Fund shall be dealt with as follows

- 1. The Union will advise the Employer in writing of any delinquency.
- 2. If the Employer has failed to respond within forty-eight (48) hours of receipt of notification, exclusive of Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays, the Union may then request a meeting with the Employer to provide for payment of funds.
- 3. In the case of failure of the Employer to contribute into the funds on the due date, the Trustees, in their joint names, may take legal action against the Employer for recovery of the amount due.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 24 - WAGE RATES**

## April 1, 2022:

Screening Officer		Level 3.1	Level 3.2	Level 3.3	Level 3.4
Level 1	\$20.00	<u>.</u>			
Level 2	\$21.25				
		\$22.50	\$23.00	\$23.50	\$24.00
TL Premium Rate	\$27.00				
Hours of Service		0 - 2080	2081 - 4160	4161 - 6240	6241 +

## April 1, 2023: (2% increase to wages)

Screening Officer	Level 3.1	Level 3.2	Level 3.3	Level 3.4

Level 1	\$20.40				,
Level 2	\$21.68				-
		\$22.95	\$23.46	\$23.97	\$24.48
TL Premium Rate	\$27.54				
Hours of Service		0 - 2080	2081 - 4160	4161 - 6240	6241 +

## April 1, 2024: (2% increase to wages)

Screening Officer		Level 3.1	Level 3.2	Level 3.3	Level 3.4
Level 1	\$20.81				
Level 2	\$22.11				
		\$23.41	\$23.93	\$24.45	\$24.97
TL Premium Rate	\$28.09				
Hours of Service		0 - 2080	2081 - 4160	4161 - 6240	6241 +

one-time payment of eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) for full-time employees, and four hundred dollars (\$400.00) for part-time employees will be paid to those eligible employees who were on the active payroll, and who have successfully completed their probationary period, on the date of ratification. For the foregoing employees, the one-time payment will be paid as a separate deposit within thirty (30) days of advice of ratification. For those employees who were on the active payroll and had not completed their probationary period, the payment will be made within thirty (30) days of successful completion of their probationary period.

The Team Leader rate premium will be twelve point five percent (12.5%) above the Level 3.4 rate in effect at any time for all hours worked as a Team Leader. Assistant Team Leaders (ATLs) will receive the premium paid in increments of thirty (30) minutes for time worked as a Team Leader.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 25 - SEPARATION OF EMPLOYMENT**

- a) If an employee is terminated, discharge, or resigns, they shall receive their final pay cheque including all monies owing to them, subject to Article No. 8 (c) by their next regular payday by EFT.
- b) The Employer shall give a Record of Employment (ROE) Certificate to any employee who separates from employment of at least seven (7) calendar days, for any reason, within seven (7) calendar days of the last day worked or terminated.
- c) Where an employee has failed to surrender all necessary documents, uniforms (per CATSA policy) and material(s) issued to him/her by the Employer, in good condition notwithstanding normal wear and tear. In such event, the Employer may require such employee to pay for any

item wilfully destroyed, mutilated or not returned, subject to the Canada Labour Code.

### **ARTICLE NO. 26 - INSPECTION PRIVILEGES**

a) Authorized agents of the Union shall, after requesting permission which shall not be unduly denied by the Employer, have access to the establishment(s) where employees of the Employer are employed, during working hours, and for the purpose of adjusting disputes, investigating working conditions, and ascertaining that the Agreement is being adhered to, provided however that there is no interruption of the working schedule.

# ARTICLE NO. 27 - RE-CERTIFICATION EVALUATIONS, EXTRA SKILLS or REQUIREMENTS

a) When the Employer requires any employee to take a First Aid course, or a course of any other type, the actual time spent taking such course shall be deemed to be work time, and shall be paid for as such, at the straight time rate of pay.

# **ARTICLE NO. 28 - PARKING ALLOWANCE**

a) In the event the Red Deer Regional Airport Authority introduces a charge for employees parking at the airport, the Employer shall pay one hundred percent (100%) of the cost for employees with a Company Service Date prior to January 1, 2023 and fifty percent (50%) of the cost for employees with a Company Service Date of January 1, 2023 or later.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 29 - SAVING CLAUSE**

If any Articles of this Agreement or of any supplement hereto should be held invalid by operation of law, or by any tribunal of competent jurisdiction, or if compliance with, or enforcement of, any Article should be restrained by such tribunal, pending a final determination as to its validity the remainder of this Agreement or of any supplement thereto, or the application of such Article to persons or circumstances other than those as to which it has been held invalid, or as to which compliance with or enforcement of has been restrained, shall not be affected thereby. In the event that any Article or Section is held invalid, or enforcement of or compliance with which has been restrained as above set forth, the Parties affected thereby shall enter into immediate collective bargaining negotiations upon the request of the Union, for the purpose of arriving at a mutually satisfactory replacement for such Article or Section during the period of invalidity or restraint. If the Parties do not agree on a mutually satisfactory replacement, they shall submit the dispute to the procedure as outlined in Article No. 11 - Grievance Procedure, herein.

#### **ARTICLE NO. 30 - COMPENSATION COVERAGE**

a) The Employer shall provide coverage to all employees for injury on the job under the Workers' Compensation Act of the Province of Alberta, or under an Insured Plan which provides coverage of compensation equal thereto.

## **ARTICLE NO. 31 - STRIKES and PICKET LINES**

a) There shall be no strikes, work stoppages, job action or lockouts, or intimidation under this Agreement, excepting those strikes as provided under the Federal Labour Code.

- b) All disputes and grievances of either Party shall be settled as quickly as possible under the Grievance Procedure outlined herein.
- c) In the event of a strike, by a Labour Group other than those covered by this Agreement, involving the Employer's property or operations, the employees will remain on the job in accordance with their obligations under the Canada Labour Code, unless to do so would endanger the life of the employee.

# **ARTICLE NO. 32- TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE**

- a) The Employer shall notify the Union at least one (1) month in advance of any technological change that would affect the terms and conditions or security of employment of employees.
- b) In the event the technological change will have a negative impact on employment levels, the Employer will meet with the Union without delay with a view to exploring ways to mitigate the impact of the technological change on affected employees. If no agreement can be reached, this will be subject to the grievance procedure outlined in Article 11.

### **ARTICLE NO. 33 - LAWSUITS**

a) The Employer will provide, at no cost to the employee, the services of a lawyer in the event of a legal pursuit where the Employer is satisfied that the pursuit results from legal actions taken by the employee in the regular course of their functions, and proper practices and procedures were followed.

SIGNED THIS 2 DAY OF April 2022

ON BEHALF OF THE EMPLOYER:

Garda Security Screening Inc. Red Deer Regional Airport

Shawn Blakeney, Director Prairie Region Screening Operations

Ashley Patterson
Regional Labour Relations Specialist

Pei Vanden Brink, Business Agent

ON BEHALF OF THE UNION:

General Teamsters, Local Union No. 362

Richard Brown, President & Business Agent

## **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #1**

BETWEEN:

GARDA SECURITY SCREENING INC. RED DEER REGIONAL AIRPORT

(Herein referred to as the "Employer")

AND:

**GENERAL TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION 362** 

(Herein referred to as the "Union")

RE:

SHIFT TRADE PROCEDURES

- 1. Shift trades and Give Aways must be submitted in the automated system at least twenty- four (24) hours prior to the start of the earliest applicable shift. Where the system does not accept the request, or when the employee is unable to utilize the automated system, it must be submitted on the form supplied, legible and in full and approved by a Manager or designate-
- 2. Urgent requests may be approved on a case-by-case basis by a Manager or designate.
- 3. Where the form is used, both parties must sign the shift trade/giveaway form.
- 4. Both parties must ensure that the shift trade/giveaway has been processed by the system or otherwise approved by a Manager or designate.
- 5. Employees who give their shift away will NOT be eligible for overtime that day.
- 6. Shift Trades and Give Aways are paid at straight time and do not count towards maximum hours per day or the forty (40) hours per week.

- 7. Overtime is only paid out on a shift trade or give away when the employee is requested to stay for additional hours by the Company and the hours exceed the normal length of the shift the employee accepted to work.
- 8. Shift trades cannot be combined with other trades. i.e. no three-way or more trades are permitted.
- 9. Shift trades are intended to help employees have flexibility to deal with short-term schedule demands. They cannot be used to create extended periods where the employee is away from work.
- 10. Any employee will be allowed to Give Away a maximum of twenty-five percent (25%) of their scheduled shifts in any eight (8) week period. One time during every calendar year, this amount will be increased to fifty percent (50%) of their scheduled shifts during an eight (8) week period.

Note: This does not include hours traded or exchanged.

## **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #1 (Continued)**

SIGNED THIS DAY OF April

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## **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #2**

**BETWEEN:** 

GARDA SECURITY SCREENING INC. RED DEER REGIONAL AIRPORT (Herein referred to as the "Employer")

AND:

**GENERAL TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION 362** 

(Herein referred to as the "Union")

RE:

**PRE CERT EMPLOYEES** 

The Parties hereto agree to the following:

- A Pre Cert Employee shall be defined as an employee who:
  - a. Is hired by the Employer with the intention of becoming a permanent employee and.
  - b. Does not perform inspection duties and has applied for, but does not yet possess, a valid RAIC/Security Clearance.
- 2. A Pre Cert Employee shall:
  - a. Be placed into the next available SOF Course once they receive a RAIC/Clearance.
- 3. A Pre Cert Employee will be assigned work schedules by the Company as follows:
  - **a.** The Company shall build and assign Part Time shift schedules to Pre Cert employees that have the same start times and no more hours than existing Permanent Part Time shifts.

- **b.** Once a Pre Cert Employee vacates a shift line, that shift line will be removed from the shift plan.
- c. Pre Cert employees will not be eligible for shift extensions.
- 4. Pre Cert Employees shall be held on a separate employee seniority list.
- 5. Pre Cert Employees shall be paid the Level 1 rate of pay.
- 6. The following clauses in the Collective Agreement do not apply to the Pre Cert Employees:
  - a. Article No. 14 Vacations
  - b. Article No. 16 (a) Seniority
  - c. Article No. 22 Health and Welfare Plan
  - d. Article No. 23 Pension Plan
  - e. LOU #1 Shift Trades and Giveaways

## **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #2 (Continued)**

SIGNED THIS April 2022

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## **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #3**

BETWEEN: GARDA SI

GARDA SECURITY SCREENING INC.
RED DEER REGIONAL AIRPORT
(herein referred to see the Employer)

(herein referred to as the Employer)

AND:

**GENERAL TEAMSTERS LOCAL UNION 362** 

(herein referred to as the Union)

RE:

**OUT OF TOWN WORK** 

Should the Employer have an obvious need for support at another Alberta Airport represented by General Teamsters Local Union No. 362, the Parties here to agree that Screening Officers covered by this agreement may travel out of town to provide said support so long as:

- 1. The General Manager, or designate, contacts the Local Union directly to discuss the need for support.
- 2. A notice of the need for support will be posted to all employees and the date for acceptance of applications will be no less than seven (7) calendar days after the date of posting.
- 3. The posting will include, but is not limited to, the following information:
  - Location of Airport
  - Expected dates of departure/return
  - Mode of transportation to and from the out of town airport
  - Name, location and contact information of the hotel where the employees will stay for the duration of their time away from base
  - Work/shift schedule that the employees will work
- 4. As per Article 16 (b), seniority, subject to the particular employee being capable and having the

appropriate CATSA Certification for any work which is to be done, shall be the governing factor for the selection of employees to work out of town.

- 5. Should the need for support be such that seven (7) days' notice cannot be provided, the Employer will offer out of town work to employees by way of a call out, in seniority order.
- 6. Per Diem in the amount of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per day will be paid to each employee inclusive of day of departure and the day of return to home base.
- 7. Should the employees be required to use their personal vehicle for travel, mileage in the amount of forty-eight cents (\$0.48) per kilometer will be paid. Mileage will be based on the round trip distance from the Calgary International Airport to the out of town airport. Travel time will be paid as regular hours worked.
- 8. Should the hotel be a distance of more than ten (10) kilometers from the out of town airport and no transportation be provided by Employer, the same mileage outlined above will be paid and will be based on the round trip distance from the hotel to airport.
- Per Diems and Mileage will be paid by separate cheque on regular pay periods and will not be subject to deductions.

# **LETTER OF UNDERSTANDING #3 (Continued)**

SIGNED THIS 2 DAY OF April 2022

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